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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a three (3) month extension of time for replying to the Office Action mailed August 25, 2004. With the extension, the present papers are due on or before February 25, 2005. A check in the amount of \$1,020.00 is enclosed herewith. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

The Examiner is authorized to charge any additional fees due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, reference no. 22058-531 CON.

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